

**SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS**

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

1. Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 1 with the following amended paragraph:

**CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This application is a Continuation-in-Part Application of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/912,904 filed July 25, 2001 HEMOFILTRATION SYSTEMS, METHODS AND DEVICES USED TO TREAT INFLAMMATORY MEDIATOR RELATED DISEASE, now U.S. Patent No. **6,730,266 issued May 4, 2004**, which is a Continuation-in-Part Application of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/113,758 filed July 10, 1998 entitled HEMOFILTRATION SYSTEMS, METHODS AND DEVICES USED TO TREAT INFLAMMATORY MEDIATOR RELATED DISEASE, now U.S. Patent No. 6,287,516 issued September 11, 2001.